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## (54) COMMAND INPUT DEVICE

(57)Abstract:

**PURPOSE:** To operate easily and surely the titled device by using a memory means which stores individually plural pieces of cursor position information, a cursor selecting means, a cursor shift indicating means and a cursor shift means.

**CONSTITUTION:** A menu 2 and a submenu 3 are displayed on a display screen 1 and the cursors 6 and 7 are displayed on both menus 2 and 3 respectively. Here the position information on the cursors 6 and 7 are stored individually at the system side by a memory means 8. When a mouse 5 is operated, the cursor 6 is first selected by a cursor selecting means 9. Then the position information on the cursor 6 is changed by a cursor shift indicating means 10 with operation of the mouse 5. Thus the cursor 6 is moved by a cursor shift means 11 in response to said changed position information. Then a hatching command is selected. Then the cursor 7 is selected by the means 9 with operation of the mouse 5, then moved by the means 11. Then a hatching pattern is selected.

